

I fully support the proposed FCC Petition RM-10352 to restrict wideband usage to above 1.843 MHz. The 1.800 to 1.843 MHz segment should be reserved for CW operation only. FCC Regulation Part 97.307 (f) should be changed to clearly state this logical bandplan. This action will reduce the tendency for mode conflicts in the traditional "weak signal" or "DX" part of the band as volunteer compliance to ARRL suggested bandplans cannot be counted on. Recent action by your compliance group headed by Riley Hollingsworth, including letters to several stations that were not following the voluntary bandplan, highlights the need for this change in regulations.